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## **EXECUTIVE ORDER**

No. 82-6

## RECEIPT OF CRIMINAL HISTORY RECORD INFORMATION ARIZONA STATE BOARD OF DISPENSING OPTICIANS

WHEREAS, the Arizona State Board of Dispensing Opticians has statutory authority under Section 32-1683, Arizona Revised Statutes (ARS), to inquire into character and past criminal conduct as essential requisites in evaluating the fitness of prospective employees and licensees; and

WHEREAS, the Department of Public Safety maintains a Criminal Identification Section pursuant to ARS 41-1750 for the purpose of procuring and maintaining information concerning arrests and convictions of persons for public offenses in Arizona; and

WHEREAS, the Criminal Identification Section is authorized pursuant to ARS 41-1750 (B) (7) and (8) to provide criminal history record information to noncriminal justice licensing and regulatory agencies of the State for the purpose of evaluating the fitness of prospective employees and licensees; and

WHEREAS, the Arizona State Board of Dispensing Opticians is a noncriminal justice licensing and regulatory agency of the State; and

WHEREAS, noncriminal justice agencies of the State may receive criminal history record information from the Department of Public Safety Criminal Identification Section pursuant to ARS 41-1750 (G) only by specific authority granted to that agency by statute, ordinance, or executive order, and subject to rules and regulations of the Department of Public Safety;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Bruce Babbitt, Governor of the State of Arizona, under authority provided by ARS 41-1750 (G), hereby authorize the Criminal Identification Section of the Department of Public Safety to provide and the Arizona State Board of Dispensing Opticians to receive criminal history record information for purposes of employment and licensing in accordance with those rules and regulations issued by the Department of Public Safety.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona

GOVERNOR

DONE at the Capitol in Phoenix on this 2 / the day of September in the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred and Eighty-two and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Sixth.

ATTEST:

Secretary of State

